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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

JAMES ALLEN LEDBETTER,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MEDTRONIC, INC.; MEDTRONIC USA, INC.;  
 MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC.;  
 MEDTRONIC EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
 SYSTEMS, INC.; and DOES 1 TO 20,  
 INCLUSIVE,

Defendants.

Case No. C06-02536 MJJ

**STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL OF  
 MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC. AND  
 MEDTRONIC EMERGENCY RESPONSE  
 SYSTEMS, INC.; ~~[PROPOSED]~~ ORDER**

Hon. Martin J. Jenkins

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to this action, JAMES ALLEN LEDBETTER (hereinafter, "Plaintiff") and MEDTRONIC, INC. (hereinafter, "Medtronic"), by and through their respective undersigned counsel, and approved by the Court in the accompanying Order, as follows:

1. That Defendants MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC. and MEDTRONIC EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS, INC. are dismissed from this action without prejudice;

2. That there shall be no tolling of any applicable statute of limitations; and

3. That each party will bear its own costs.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

Dated: May 8, 2006

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*Concurrence in the filing of this document  
has been obtained from the signatory*

By \_\_\_\_\_  
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-and-

Dated: May 3, 2006

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By \_\_\_\_\_/s/  
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1 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, AND GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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3 DATED: May 15  
4 \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

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6 Hon. Martin J. Jenkins  
7 Judge of the United States District Court  
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